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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed February 20, 2007, Applicants elect to prosecute Group I (claims 103, 105-113, 116-129, and 131-142) with traverse.

In response to the requirement to elect a single disclosed species, Applicants elect: for cellular delivery module (claims 132 and 135), a polypeptide; and for label configuration (claims 125-126 and 128-129), the labeled RNA comprising two fluorescent labels, a donor and an acceptor, where the donor is attached to the first polyribonucleotide and the acceptor is attached to the second polyribonucleotide.

Claims 103, 105-113, 116-123, 127-129, 131-134, and 136-142 read on the elected species.

Applicants' understanding is that the procedures of MPEP 803.02 will be followed, in that non-elected species will be examined if the elected species is found to be patentable.